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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Quertermous, Thomas *et al.*

APPLICATION No.: 09/237,981

FILED: January 25, 1999

FOR: ANTIBODIES BINDING TO POLYPEPTIDES ENCODED
BY DEVELOPMENTALLY-REGULATED
ENDOTHELIAL CELL LOCUS-1

ART UNIT: 1644

EXAMINER: NOLAN, PATRICK J.

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Communication dated February 10, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.